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"FURTHER #LOND 215 (IN 38175) AND ALSO #WASH 1087.
REFERENCE MUFTI WARWICK COVENTRY 52233 OF 24 JUNE FROM TRIED
AND RESPONSIBLE SOURCE ON BASIS OF INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY DIRECTOR
OF PRESS SECTION OF ARAB LEAGUE AND PRESIDINT OF ARAB UNION
SOCIETY.

1. FUROUK AZZAM PASHA MAINLY RESPONSIBLE FOR MUFTI'S
ESCAPE FROM FRANCE AND EVENTUAL ARRIVAL EGYPT. CONSIDERABLE
AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT FOR THIS PURPOSE.

2. MUFTI LEFT FRANCE 28 MAY BY PLANE FOR DAMASCUS.
NATIONALITY OF PLANE UNKNOWN NOW WHETHER HE WENT DIRECT TO
DAMASCUS WHERE HE WAS IN HIDING COMMUNICATING ONLY WITH SYRIAN
PRESIDENT AND JAMAL HUSSEINI. WAS CONSULTED RE PROCEEDINGS AT
BLUDEN CONFERENCE.

3. AFTER CONFERENCE MUFTI AND AZZAM COMMUNICATED
SECRETLY WITH FAROUK REGARDING FORMERS JOURNEY TO EGYPT. IT
WAS AGREED ONE OF KINGS PLANES TO BE SENT. MUFTI ARRIVED BILBEIS
AIRPORT EVENING 18 JUNE, SPENT NIGHT AT ROYAL PALACE AT INCHASS
FOLLOWING DAY AT PALACE OF PRINCE YUSSEF KIMAL (ALSO REC'D KAMAL)
AT MATARIA (CAIRO SUBURB) WITH PALACE OFFICIALS VISITED ABDIN
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4. EGYPTIAN PREMIER AWARE THESE ARRANGEMENTS.
FURTHER RE 2 AND 4 ABOVE WARWICK COVENTRY REPRESENTATIVE CAIRO
CABLED 22 JUNE INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RELIABLE AND INDEPENDENT
SOURCE QUOTED IN WC S-2235 OF 24 JUNE AS FOLLOWS: (A) ACCORDING
TO OFFICIAL IN EGYPTIAN PASSPORT OFFICE MUFTI FIRST ARRIVED CAIRO
30 MAY IN TWA PLANE TRAVELING UNDER NAME OF MAROUF DULABI. WAS
IN POSSESSION OF ILLICIT PASSPORT #90 ISSUED PARIS 28 NOVEMBER
1945, WAS DESCRIBED AS LAWYER. HAD EGYPTIAN ENTRY VISA #1254
ISSUED BY EGYPTIAN CONSULATE PARIS 2 APRIL 1946. (B) ON 21
JUNE IN PRIVATE CONVERSATION WITH FRIENDS FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTER
STATED THAT NEITHER PREMIER NOR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS AWARE OF
PLANS RE MUFTI AND THAT VERY DISTURBED WHEN LEARNING OF HIS
ARRIVAL EGYPT. MINISTER OBSERVED RESIGNEDLY THAT KINGS ACTION MIGHT
END ANGER TREATY NEGOTIATIONS.

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